

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

STARRED QUESTION NO:126
ANSWERED ON:08.12.2015
Rise of Insurgency in North East
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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is aware of the regrouping of several ultra groups in the North Eastern region of the country posing danger to the peace and harmony in the region;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the reaction of the Government thereto;
- (c) whether unspecified number of militant formations have easy and safe access to the neighbouring countries through the porous border and if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) the steps taken to curb insurgency in the region along with the measures taken to strengthen the intelligence network thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS
(SHRI KIREN RIJU)

(a) to (d): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

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STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO.*126 FOR 08.12.2015

(a) & (b): There are reports of some insurgent groups trying to regroup themselves in North Eastern Region. The activities of such insurgent groups have been kept under close watch.

(c): There are reports of some Indian Insurgent Groups (IGs) having setup their hideouts/temporary camps in the neighbouring countries. The Government has been pursuing the matter with neighbouring countries at various levels. These countries have assured our Government that they will not allow anti-India activities from their soil.

(d): The Central Government is supplementing the efforts of the State Governments to curb the activities of the insurgent groups by deployment of additional Central Security Forces for counter-insurgency operations, sharing of intelligence, financial assistance for strengthening of the local Police Forces and intelligence agencies/reimbursement of Security Related Expenditure to State Governments, assistance for raising of India Reserve Battalions and other such measures.
